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Serial No. 09/827,108
Applicants: Steve Sundquist et al.
Filed: April 5, 2001
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PLACING ENDOCARDIAL LEADS

Attached please find the following documents:

- X Response to Non-Final Office Action**
- X Transmittal**

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Total Claims	41	40	1	x 18	\$18.00
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